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Council: Condo Zone for Sunrise, Increased Control in Metro Area

by Mary Lou Williamson

The City Council agreed to recommend R-18-C zoning for the Sunrise property, and to support the Transportation District Overlay (TDO) concept for the area surrounding the Metro station, when presenting Greenbelt's views on the county's proposed Sectional Map Amendment (SMA) on Tuesday, February 13. Thus council wrapped up discussion and voted on the few remaining SMA issues at its regular meeting on Monday, February 12.

Celia Wilson, the city's Planning and Development Coordinator, reviewed for council the several issues still needing a decision prior to the city's formal presentation by Mayor Gil Weidenfeld at the SMA public hearing the next evening. When approved, the SMA will rezone properties in the Langley Park-College Park-Greenbelt planning area in accordance with the Adopted Master Plan. The County Council, sitting as the District Council, has until May 31, 1990, to approve the SMA.

The Master Plan shows high-density residential/commercial use for the Sunrise property, which is currently zoned R-10 (high rise residential). The developer has taken the necessary steps to protect his right to develop within the R-10 category.

In outlining the problem, Wilson reviewed council's opposition to its other options: C-O (commercial office building) offers no control over the size of the development that could be built, and with R-10 the density is too great. In recommending R-18, she pointed out that the zoning is compatible with the apartment/condominium residential de-

velopment adjacent to the property, would provide a transition between the multi-family housing to the south and the office/retail to the north, and meets the community activity center guidelines as well or better than R-10. With Greenbelt already overloaded with multi-family dwellings, R-18 would add less than R-10.

Council agreed with the assessment. "R-18 will have the least (negative) impact on the city," said Weidenfeld. Council member Antoinette Bram asked council to further refine its recommendation to R-18-C (condominiums rather than rental property), which it did. At City Solicitor Robert Manzi's suggestion, council also agreed to ask that site plan approval be required for this property, regardless of the zone.

"Can't fight your logic," offered Sheldon Goldberg from Greenbelt East. "No one wants to take a chance on C-O." The developer has offered to discuss commercial development only if the city agrees to 512,000 square feet as the minimum size. Council has been unwilling to consider more than 200,000 or 300,000 square feet.

TDO

A TDO is a zone superimposed over other zones in a designated area. Greenbelt had planned to seek a TDO designation for the area around the Metro station, rather than a CMX (mixed development zone), as the former offers more control over development. Wilson, however, found the TDO requires a plan showing the pattern of development in the area. Since no plan exists, a TDO designation would be premature. She suggested that the city instead ask that the area near the Metro station be subject to a TDO study and that the city wishes to be involved in all

phases of the TDO planning, including setting the boundaries of the study area. Council agreed.

Rick Meetre expressed his disappointment that more prominence was not given to environmental aspects in the presentation. Specifically, he said, approximately one-third of the A. H. Smith property, the focus of a TDO, is wetlands, some of it valuable. If you have time for three or four points, he told council, then one major one should be the environmental concerns.

The master plan does show "significant environmentally sensitive areas," said Wilson, who acknowledged that the SMA ignores the issue. Council member Thomas X. White suggested including a sentence about environmental concerns within the TDO area and also attaching a copy of the letter council received from Carmen Turner, head of Metro, identifying the wetlands on the A. H. Smith property as valuable. Council agreed to those additions.

Green Springs

Council, Wilson recommended, could go ahead with the R-55 zone requested by Richmond American for Green Springs. The developer had provided the covenants they promised at the January 29 work session. The covenants would limit the number of homes to be built and insure city review at each planning step.

The Furey property, she suggested, should also be R-55 under the RPC overlay. While there are some plans for future development by the owners, the city was not ready to upgrade the zoning.

Greenbelt will also support the R-12 zone, as designated in the SMA, for the vacant land at Westchester Park. Council had previously supported this zoning.

Council Receives Sidewalk Petition, Hears Update on Parcel 1 Suit

by Mary Lou Williamson

"Safety is the paramount issue," for Mary Ellen Field, who asked the City Council at its February 12 regular meeting, to consider building a sidewalk along Northway—a "steep and winding street" with poor visibility.

The street, which leads directly to St. Hugh's and the city's recreation complex beyond, has been the scene of accidents involving pedestrians and recently a multi-car accident. Opinion on the street itself is divided, she said, relating a survey done some months ago by the Woodland Hills Association, with 12 homeowners, including herself, favor-

ing a sidewalk, 15 opposed and 10 not responding. In a new survey Field covered the adjacent neighborhoods, asking for support for the sidewalks. She gave council her petition showing 223 signatures and asked that the subject be placed on the agenda of the next meeting, February 26.

Council member Thomas X. White agreed with Field that council should hear from the affected public to "get a better sense. . . safety impels us."

Council, in the past, has been reluctant to construct sidewalks without majority support of the homeowners on the street affected.

Earth Day

Tom Barlett, who heads up

planning for a celebration of Earth Day 1990 on April 22, invited council's interest and support. Activities for the day, he said, will include information on recycling and precycling of household products, adopt-a-lot, clean-up days, and a small parade from the center to the lake ending with a "hands around the lake event." Barlett asked council for a proclamation for Earth Day in Greenbelt to "show support for environmental concerns."

White speculated "we might have something to celebrate," by mid-April, alluding to the coming condemnation of Parcel 1.

Condemnation

City Solicitor Robert Manzi told council of his readiness to See COUNCIL, page 6

A REVIEW

Absorbing Drama Invades City Council Chambers

by Barbara Likowski

"Nuts," by Tom Topor, the Greenbelt Arts Center's current production, though billed as a courtroom drama and entertaining as such, is much more than that. It is a study of motives, beliefs, mores, stereotypes, power, responsibility. Each member of the audience must look into himself/herself to glimpse, however fleetingly, some of those emotions one does not readily admit to or often face. In being called upon to make a decision about the defendant, the viewer also decides some things about himself.

It is to the credit of the cast that however much the members of the audience might squirm, their attention is held and they want to know more.

The play is set in a courtroom in the psychiatric wing of Bellevue Hospital, where the defendant, a young woman accused of manslaughter, is being examined on her ability to stand trial. The word insane hangs in the air and its definition pulls at each member of the audience. What is insanity? Who decides who is insane?

Sally Hanna-Jones does a good job of portraying the cynical defendant, frustrated by the circumstances in which she finds herself so that at first she antagonizes the audience by her inane antics. Then gradually she gains their sympathy and even, in spite of the lifestyle she reveals, their grudging respect.

Credible performances are given by all the other members of the cast. Frank Pearlman looks and sounds like one would expect a weary member of a large district attorney's office to sound. Tony Schiavone looks and sounds like the upcoming young lawyer he portrays. But it is Leonard Cohen as the defendant's stepfather and Norma Ozur as her mother who hold the audience riveted by what they reveal.

Psychiatrist Tom Zanner plays his part in such a way that one feels a chill when his promotion to a state mental health position is revealed at the end of the play.

Gypsy Moth Egg Masses Should Be Removed Now

Gypsy moth eggs will begin hatching around the middle of April. Now, before they hatch, homeowners should scrape egg masses off trees, wood piles, stone walls, or wherever else they may be found. The more egg masses removed, the fewer caterpillars that will hatch in the spring and begin their ascent up trees to devour leaves.

Egg masses are light brown in color, oval in shape, a felt-like texture, and can be as large as 1½ inches long and ¾ inch wide. They are mainly found on the branches or trunks of trees but may also be located on any outdoor object.

Because small hairs on the egg masses may cause a rash, it is best to use gloves when removing the egg masses. Using a putty knife, scrape the egg masses into a paper or plastic bag, secure it tightly and dispose of it in the garbage. Be careful not to let the egg mass fall to the ground or blow away. This will spread the eggs around and they will still hatch.

By scraping egg masses, residents can do much to protect the trees on their property. Any questions may be directed to Eric Berlin at 474-8000.

FLASH

The jury trial in the condemnation of Parcel 1, expected to begin on February 20, has been postponed until May. A new date has not yet been set.

David Wilson, Jack Carlson and Trix Whitehall aptly perform in the supporting roles.

Directed by Mary Lou Fisher and produced by Virginia Zanner, the play is staged in the Greenbelt city council chambers, giving the feel of a courtroom. However, seating is limited. This is not a play for children, not even mature children, or for any persons who object to graphic language. For those who dare to be challenged to think while being entertained, and not just amused, it should be an evening well spent.

Performances are slated for Fridays and Saturdays, February 16, 17, 23, 24 and a matinee at 2 p.m. Sunday, February 18.

City Sells Bonds

The city's \$2,100,000 bond issue was purchased on Thursday, February 8 by Merrill Lynch Capital Markets for an average interest rate of 7.0675 percent. The city again received a better interest than most other municipalities with the same bond rating, according to pleased city officials. The bonds, which are dated February 1, 1990, are in denominations of \$5,000 or integral multiples thereof. Bonds mature each of the years 1991 through 2010.

Rating

Standard and Poors has again given Greenbelt an A-plus bond rating, according to Alex Brown and Sons, underwriters for the Greenbelt bonds. City officials went to New York last month in hopes of improving that rating, but were not successful. Factors which weighed against Greenbelt were the small size of the community with limited growth potential, the ratio of apartments to owner-occupied homes (although they noted the ratio has improved in the past few years), and an economic base that relies on office development.

Funds

The bond issue combines funds for three separate purposes. One million is the remaining unsold portion of the \$6 million bond issue approved by voters in 1985 and will be used toward either the purchase of Parcel 1 or the construction of an indoor swimming pool. Last year the voters approved \$1 million for the immediate construction of the Schrom Hills Park in Greenbelt East. The remaining \$100,000 will finance a portion of Ora Glen Drive, with the costs to be assessed to the owners of Commerce Center II, the adjacent property.

What Goes On

Mon., Feb. 19, City offices closed for Presidents' Day

Tues., Feb. 20, 8 p.m. City Council worksession, Green Ridge House

Wed., Feb. 21, 8 p.m. Advisory Planning Board meeting, Employees' Lounge, Municipal Building

8 p.m. Park & Recreation Advisory Board, Youth Center

8 p.m. Arts Advisory Committee meeting, Youth Center

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West African Artist Exhibited at SHL

The Fountain Lodge cordially invites Springhill Lake families, friends and children to an exhibit of drawings and paintings by West African Artist Hassan Bangurah on Wednesday, February 21 from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Hassan Bangurah, a Sierra Leonean, studied in the University of London's Goldsmith College School of Arts where he received diplomas in art and design, as well as fine art. He has won several first prizes in still life and mural paintings.

Hassan has designed several calendars, greeting cards, stamps, etc. He is presently the director of the National Arts Centre in Freetown, Sierra Leone. Hassan has also held exhibitions in Great Britain, West Germany, France, China and Hong Kong. Admission is free.

Homemaker Club to Meet

The Greenbelt Homemakers Club will meet on Feb. 21 at 8 p.m. at the home of Millie Modery. The program, "House-keeping Secrets," will be presented by Marie Riggs.

The Maryland Cooperative Extension Service's programs are open to all without regard to race, color, sex, handicap, religion, age or national origin. For further information call Sylvia Kyle at 474-2705.

Computer Tax Help Available at Library

Swiftax, a personal computer software package that offers help with federal income tax preparation, is available in the Computer Connection centers at the Greenbelt and other branches of the Prince Georges County Memorial Library System.

The library's personal computer centers each house Apple, Apple Macintosh and IBM equipment. The software collection varies at each location and includes such popular packages as Wordperfect 5.0 and, for students, Where in the USA is Carmen San Diego, Algeblaster and Alphabet Zoo.

The Computer Connection centers are open to anyone with a Prince Georges County public library card. For information call the library at 699-3500.

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Monday 2-4 p.m. copy, ads
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Greenbriar News

Greenbriar Social Committee is fighting the February blues by hosting a Happy Hour on Friday, February 23, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Residents and their guests are invited to stop by the Community Building after work for drinks, snacks and good company. A small fee will be charged.

Greenbriar and Glen Oaks children are still waiting for Super Snow Day! The unusual warm weather has banished thoughts of snowman building. But February can be full of surprises, so don't put away those mittens.

Residents of Greenbriar and Glen Oaks are looking forward to attending the afternoon performance of the 50th anniversary show at the Ice Capades on Sunday, February 18. There are still a few tickets available, for more information call the office, 441-1096.

SPRING STRINGS AT MARYLAND

The University of Maryland Graduate String Quartet Showcase will be held Thursday, February 22 at 8 p.m. in the Tawes Recital Hall on the College Park campus. The program includes the Orpheus Quartet, Chavall Quartet and Lenaro Quartet performing the string quartet Op. 67 No. 3 in B-flat Major by Brahms and two string quartets by Schubert: A Minor Op. 29 and G Minor D. 173. This quartet showcase is free and open to the public. For additional information call 454-6669.

Recreation Review

Volleyball - Competitive

Co-recreational competitive volleyball is played in the Greenbelt Center School Gym. Mon. eves, 6:30 - 10:30 p.m. Everyone 16 years and over is welcome.

Roller Skating

Skating is held in the Center School Gym on Weds. and Fri., 3 - 4:30 p.m. Kindergarten - 3rd grade share the floor on Weds, while Fris. are for the 4th - 6th graders. Skates may be rented at the door.

Slow-Pitch Softball

The Rec. Dept. is now accepting registration for its Men's and Co-Ed softball teams to participate in leagues this summer. Deadline is Friday, March 16. All teams are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, call 474-6878.

Facility Entrance Pass

All participants, 16 years of age and over entering the Recreation Centers must possess a Recreation Department photo I.D. Card. These cards may be purchased for a nominal fee at either center with proof of current residency.

CITY OF GREENBELT



Wednesday, February 21, 1990
 8:00 P.M.

Employees Lounge
 Municipal Building

Tentative
 Agenda
 Advisory
 Planning
 Board
 Meeting

1. CALL TO ORDER
 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 4. SITE AND LANDSCAPE Plan - GREENBROOK MANOR
- NOTE: This is a tentative agenda—subject to change.

Tax Changes Ease Filing

Maryland state income taxpayers will benefit from several changes on the 1989 state return, according to the State Comptroller. The filing deadline is April 16.

One major change is use of tax tables by most taxpayers, in place of the old mathematical formula. This will make computing the tax easier and help eliminate math errors. More people will be able to use the Maryland short Form 503 because there is no longer an income limit and more senior citizens can file the short form. A series of questions on the back of the short form lets taxpayers decide if they can use it.

Maryland's personal exemption has been increased; and taxpayers 65 or older, or blind, are now eligible for the regular personal exemption plus a special exemption. For the first time, taxpayers will be able to calculate the dollar value of their personal exemptions in the exemptions area on the form. The minimum standard deduction amounts have also been increased.

Taxpayers are asked to include a new subdivision code on their returns, based on a list in the tax packet. This will help make sure local governments receive their fair shares of local income taxes, and will speed up refund checks.

A special worksheet in the tax packet will help taxpayers determine if they are eligible for the new poverty level income tax break. Members of the military with active duty overseas pay in 1989 should look in the instructions for possible exclusion of up to \$15,000 of that income from state tax.

The contribution feature for the Chesapeake Bay and Endangered Species Fund begun last year is again on the return forms. The Comptroller encourages taxpayers to contribute.

Free Tax Help

Maryland income tax offices will offer free state tax assistance Mon. through Fri., 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. until the April 16 filing deadline. There will be extra hours on all state holidays and certain weekends. Addresses and phone numbers of tax offices are on the back of the tax packet and in telephone directories.

GHI NOTES

GHI offices will be closed on Monday, February 19 in observance of George Washington's birthday. For emergency maintenance that day please call 474-6011.

The Member and Community Relations Committee will meet in the Board Room on Tuesday, February 20 at 7:30 p.m.

The Board of Directors will meet in the Board Room at 8 p.m. on Thursday, February 22. Members are invited to attend.

Greenbrook Elects Board

The Greenbrook Estates Homeowners Association elected its new Board of Directors for 1990 during the annual meeting held on January 8.

The five-member board, which will serve for one year, is comprised of four new members this year. Serving as president is Tim Sechrist, who served on the board last year. The position of vice president will be held by Craig Olson. The other positions are secretary, Melissa Beauregard; treasurer, Charles Schwan; and officer-at-large, Ashok Ambardekar.

Meetings of the board are held on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in Room 143 of Eleanor Roosevelt High School. Greenbrook Estates homeowners are encouraged to attend the monthly meetings. Any questions or need for additional information can be directed to Sechrist at 345-6861.

Tax Help Available

The Internal Revenue Service has offices open to offer assistance to the public. Telephone tax assistance and tel-tax recorded tax information is also available.

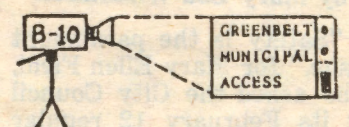
The Wheaton office is located in Plaza South, Wheaton Plaza Shopping Center and is open 8 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. on weekdays. The Landover office is located in the Metro-Plex I, Room 300, 8401 Corporate Drive, and is open weekdays 8 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.

Telephone tax assistance is available on weekdays 8 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. at 488-3100. The number for information on forms and publications is 1-800-424-3676. Tel-tax recorded tax information is available at 882-1040 24 hours a day for touch tone phones and for rotary phones on weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.

GREENBELT CONNECTION HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Because of the President's Holiday, Monday, February 19, 1990, the city's dial-a-ride service, the Greenbelt Connection, will NOT operate that day. Service will be resumed Tuesday, February 20.

CHANNEL B-10 PRESENTS:



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Herling Concert Benefits Greenbelt Arts Center

Half of the money raised when Albert K. Herling, prominent Greenbelter and amateur pianist, performs on Saturday, March 3 at Greenbelt Center School, will benefit the Greenbelt Arts Center's Facilities Development Fund. The remainder of the proceeds will be donated to the Prince Georges Arts Council. The concert will include works by Bach, Mozart, Chopin and Schubert.

The Facilities Development Fund will be used to help pay for the interior facilities for the city's new performing arts center, which is to be part of the new Community Center at the current Center School location. The building conversion is to be paid for primarily by the \$3 million bond issue approved last summer. However, seating, lighting equipment, and other facilities must be paid for by private funds. The Arts Center has accepted the responsibility for raising part of these funds, and intends to schedule other benefit performances during the next several years. Donations are welcome at any time.

The Arts Center reports favor-

THANKS

To the Editor:

I thank the Greenbelt Police Department for finally ridding the streets of Greenbelt of a growing eyesore. I am speaking of the unlimited and uncontrolled growth of the sidewalk flower peddlers along Greenbelt Road, Hanover Parkway and other locations around Greenbelt. The problem had become so great that the general public was harassed while waiting in traffic exiting Greenway Center.

Once again people can travel through our beautiful city without having to see the barrage of unsightly street peddler signs, or having your family harassed by an unwanted huckster while waiting in your car at a traffic light.

James Krise

WBO'S MEET TUESDAY

The Women Business Owners of Prince Georges County will hold its February luncheon on Tuesday, February 20 at noon at the Fireside Beef House. The theme will be "Seeking Professional Advisers" and speakers will be Janet L. Eveland, attorney, Joanne LaParte, CPA, Hunt, LaPorte and Associates and Mary Twigger, Twigger and Associates, Independent Insurance Agent. Call 630-2022 or 567-3488 for reservations and ticket information.

To join WBO, contact Membership Director, Peggy Plain, at 937-3338 or Mary Twigger at 262-7707.

Golden Age Club

by Bill Boswell

The club will have a table at the Flea Market on Feb. 17. The club's meeting on February 21 will include a 28 minute color film entitled "Niagara Falls — Changing Nature of a New World."

able ticket sales and a significant level of additional donations for Herling's performance. For ticket information call evenings 474-6677.

MARATHON THRU BARC

OPEN TO GREENBELTERS

Local runners will not have to travel far to participate in the 29th Annual DC Road Runners Club Washington's Birthday Marathon starting at the NASA Recreation Center off Greenbelt Road and near Good Luck Road Sunday, February 18. This certified 26.2 mile course winds through the Beltsville Agricultural Research Center for three loops. A good place to view the runners is at the intersection of Beaver Dam and Soil Conservation Roads which the runners will pass three times.

The race will start at 10:30 a.m. and the first finisher will come in about 2 hours and 25 minutes later. The last finisher last year was a 68-year-old man in 5:07. The winner last year was John McGrail, 33, Arlington, Va. in 2:30:25. The first woman last year was Ruth Riemenschneider, 31, Winchester, Va. in 3:07:50. The first Greenbelter was Dave Chitwood, 38, 56th place in 3:49:51.

Sign-up will be held at the NASA (GEWA) Recreation Center early on raceday.

Call 460-1706 for more information.

SPECIAL MEETING

Committee to Save the Green Belt

Thursday, February 22 at 7:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Recreation Center. Robert Etgen from the Maryland Department of Natural Resources will address preserving the green belt in a land trust. For more information or directions call Marsha Barrett at 982-0365.

Earth Day Planning

Concerned about the environment? Come to the next Greenbelt area Earth Day 1990 planning meeting on Wednesday, February 21 from 7-9 p.m. at the Hunting Ridge Club House.

All are welcome to share ideas as the details of the local celebration are worked out. For information, call 345-0410.

The Hunting Ridge Club House is located at 6914 Hanover Parkway. From Greenbelt Road, take Hanover Parkway south past Greenway Center, turn right at the Hunting Ridge Club sign, left at the stop sign, the club is at the circle at the right marked 6914.

Gray Panthers Meet

The Gray Panthers will hold an open public meeting on Social Security and Medicare on Saturday, February 17 at 1:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Library. Fran Valentine, field representative, Social Security Administration, will speak and answer questions. For information or transportation call 474-7841 or 474-6890.

Roosevelt Rap

by Jay Hilbert

The 14th Annual Eleanor Roosevelt High School Science Fair is scheduled for Wednesday, February 21. Over 500 projects will be displayed and judged by representatives from area businesses including: Harry Diamond Labs, NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, USDA, U. of MD., and Beltsville Agricultural Research Center. Students will receive cash awards as prizes. The public is invited to view the projects from 1-4 p.m.

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The Defendant says she isn't!

Directed by Mary Lou Fisher
Produced by Virginia Zanner

Feb. 16, 17, 23, 24, 8:00 p.m.

Feb. 18, 2:00 p.m. matinee (this Sunday)

City Council Room
Greenbelt Municipal Building
Crescent Rd. at Southway

This is an adult play with some strong language
which may be offensive to some and
inappropriate for young children.

Tickets: \$7.00/\$5.00 Seniors and Students
Seating is limited: Make your reservations early!
Reservations/Information: 441-8770





Wilding-Riley

Louise Wilding of Greenbelt, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Katherine Louise Wilding, to Mr. William Robert Riley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Riley of Burlington, Massachusetts. Miss Wilding is also the daughter of Mr. Thomas Wilding, Arlington, Massachusetts. The couple will be married at a nuptial Mass to be celebrated at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Belmont, Massachusetts, on September 8.

Miss Wilding, a 1985 graduate of Arlington Catholic High School in Arlington, Massachusetts, was graduated cum laude from Northeastern University in 1989 with a B.S. degree in criminal justice, and is currently employed by the New England Home for Little Wanderers in Waltham, Massachusetts, as a child care worker. Mr. Riley was graduated from Burlington High School in 1984 and from the University of Massachusetts in 1989 with a B.S. Degree in psychology. He is at present a counselor for the Keystone Program in Newton, Massachusetts. He is also a staff sergeant in the Army Reserves.

PHONE LINE PROVIDES ASSEMBLY INFORMATION

The Maryland General Assembly offers Marylanders the opportunity free of charge to follow the progress of the 1990 legislative Session (January 10-April 9) via toll-free telephone lines which are staffed from 8:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and on Monday evenings and Saturdays when the legislature is in a floor session.

Up-to-date information on bill status, committee hearings, votes, dates of interest, and general information on State government is available. The information number for Greenbelt is 858-3886/3810 (TDD-858-3814).

At the Library

Black Voices book discussion will be held at 10:15 a.m. Feb. 21. Martin Duberman's "Paul Robeson" will be discussed.

A Drop-In Storytime for children ages 3-5 will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Feb. 22.

Storytellers Perform At Greenbelt Library

Friends of the Greenbelt Library are bringing three outstanding performers to the library on Saturday, February 24, at 2 p.m. Through the ancient art of storytelling, Marvel Abayomi-Cole, Margery Maidman and Bill Mayhew will take their listeners to many parts of the world.

Marvel Abayomi-Cole wears a colorful African dress as she delights her audiences with tales from Africa. She has been telling stories professionally for 12 years in festivals, schools, churches, museums and government buildings. She is a member of the Association of Black Storytellers.

Margery Maidman likes to help her young audiences explore their imaginations and become actively involved in the stories. She has performed for the past six years at parties, festivals, schools and other places. She specializes in Jewish stories but tells stories from all over the world.

Bill Mayhew, who is already a celebrity among local school children, comes from a long line of storytellers and has been telling stories himself all his life. He tells some wonderfully funny stories but he also tells some that give his audience a scare. He is actively involved in storytelling in the Washington area and has organized the storytelling stage for the Washington Folk Festival.

Castaldi Elected WSTC Vicechair

Richard Castaldi, Prince Georges County Councilman, has been elected vice-chairman of the Washington Suburban Transit Commission (WSTC). He will serve through calendar year 1990.

The Commission was created as a bi-county agency under state law in 1965. Castaldi has been a member since 1982.

The commission is composed of seven members, three each appointed by the County Executives of Montgomery and Prince Georges Counties, and a representative of the State Secretary of Transportation. The Commission is the financial conduit for Metro funding by the state and the two counties. It also coordinates the efforts of county and state agencies who have an interest in Metrorail and Metrobus plans, funding, and operations.

Chamber Names Pickard P.G. Teacher of the Year

Dorothy Pickard, director of orchestras at Eleanor Roosevelt High School has been chosen by the Prince Georges County Chamber of Commerce as one of three teachers to receive the Teacher of the Year Award. The award was presented at a luncheon at the Greenbelt Sheraton on January 29.

Pickard began the string program at Roosevelt with 11 students. The school now has three orchestras: an 80 member symphony orchestra, a 52 member concert orchestra, and a chamber orchestra. Mrs. Pickard was named the String Teacher of the Year by the American String Teachers Association in 1981 and Maryland Music Educator of the Year in 1980. The symphony orchestra won acclaim after its trip to Vienna, Austria in 1982, where they won a Silver medal. It was one of two high school orchestras in the nation to be selected to perform at the Music Educators Conference in Chicago in 1984.

Members of chamber groups from the orchestra perform at civic events in the county.

Pickard is a well-known string coach, adjudicator, and conductor in the area. For years, she has worked with the Prince Georges County Youth Orchestra, and has been honored by the Prince Georges Philharmonic for her work with strings.

She has been chosen to conduct the Anne Arundel County Orchestra Festival in 1990.

COUNTY OFFICES LINKED TO METRO BY THE BUS

Effective January 15, Prince Georges County is providing new local bus service between Upper Marlboro and the New Carrollton Metro Station and expanded bus service to the Addison Road Metro Station. The service is provided weekdays between 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. Buses operate every 40 minutes during rush hours and every 80 minutes during non-rush hours. Fares are \$.75 for children and adults and \$.35 for senior and disabled citizens. There is no charge for children under age five.

The new buses, painted with red, black and grey stripes on white, are identified with the name, Prince Georges THE PUS, and logo, showing a bus inside a square. Route 21 between the New Carrollton Metro station and Upper Marlboro will run along Landover/Largo Road and serve the county buildings and courts.

Leona Robinson

Former Greenbelter Leona M. (Lee) Robinson of North Beach, Md. died of pneumonia on February 9, at Calvert Memorial Hospital in Prince Frederick. She is survived by her husband Leslie M. Robinson and children Lesley L., Selene M., Mary L., and David B. Robinson; five grandchildren and ten brothers and sisters.

Lee, as she was known to her many friends, was born in upstate New York. She and her family resided in Greenbelt in the 1950's, first in the 5 Court of Ridge, then the 5 Court of Northway. In 1965 the family moved to Mayon Reserve in Accokeek, Md.

During the time she lived in Greenbelt, she was active in the Garden Club and was a Brownie leader.

The family has requested that memorial contributions be made to Calvert Memorial Hospital, Prince Frederick, Md. 20678, or a cause of choice, as expressions of sympathy.

Flynn Movie Shown

On Tuesday, February 20, the Greenbelt Recreation Department will show the movie "They Died With Their Boots On," starring Erroll Flynn. The movie will be shown on the "big screen" at the Youth Center from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. All seniors are invited. Popcorn will be available. Viewers may bring their lunches if desired. For more information, call 474-6878.

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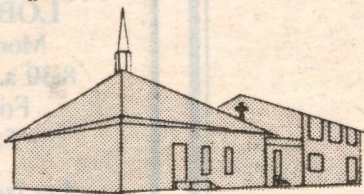
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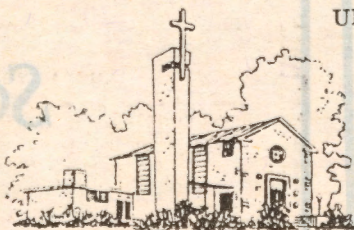
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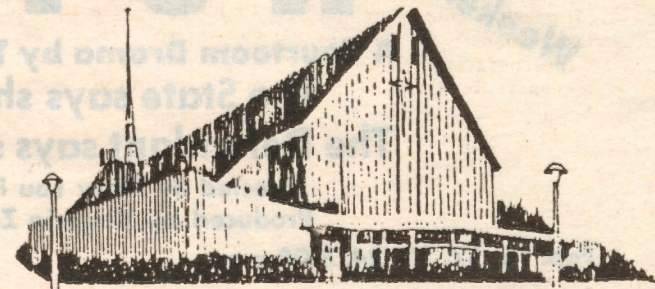
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GHI Board Discusses Privacy Screening, Siding

by Pat Scully

The annual membership meeting of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI), will be held Wednesday, May 16 at Center School. The GHI board of directors addressed this and a variety of other topics at its regular meeting of January 25, including privacy screens, the draft revised and amended Articles of Incorporation, masonry repairs, siding and sheds.

Meeting

After General Manager Ronald Colton announced that staff had verified that Center School is available on May 16, the board adopted that date for the annual meeting. The question of hiring a parliamentarian for the meeting was raised. That and other annual meeting issues will be worked out by the Audit Committee and the board.

Privacy Screens

James Maher, chair of the Aesthetic and Environment Committee, presented their report on privacy screens regulations. The committee recommended changing the maximum length of such screens from 16 feet to 8 feet. In addition, the group suggested two styles for wooden screens, either "alternate board" or "basket weave." Both of these styles present an equally attractive face on either side of the screen. Under the suggested policy, members with units on the periphery of GHI who wish to erect privacy screens along the outward-facing property lines would not be required to obtain written approval from the neighbor, since the neighbor would not be a GHI member.

The board referred the report to management.

Articles

Colton presented a revised draft of proposed revisions to the Articles of Incorporation, reflecting the changes decided on by the board at its last meeting. What should the next step be, he asked. Director Mac Wirick noted that the Articles are designed to be generic, with the Bylaws providing specifics. The Board is interested, he said, in giving members the opportunity to review the draft, not to rewrite the Articles.

A number of options were discussed and discarded. The draft could be submitted now for review by attorneys. A committee of members could be appointed to review the draft, prior to the attorneys' review. It could be deemed that members had had ample opportunity for input and discussion during the board meetings at which the draft Articles had been repeatedly discussed.

Instead, the board agreed to hold a hearing to give interested members an opportunity to review and provide comments on the proposed changes to the Articles of Incorporation.

Masonry Repairs

The board approved for first reading a contract for masonry repairs to the F-J row of 6 Court Hillside. Geotechnical Services had provided its final report, stating that the building move-

ments of the row have ceased. Staff had solicited bids from contractors to make repairs to the brick and mortar joints. GBC Contractors was the low bidder, for \$6,525.

Siding

Two siding issues were discussed, one vinyl and the other mineral. The board on first reading authorized the expenditure of up to \$3,000 to purchase vinyl siding and trim pieces. The board, at its December 7 meeting, had directed staff to maintain an adequate stock of the remaining colors of eight-inch horizontal siding. Since the required purchase was not covered by the 1990 budget, a board motion was necessary to use part of the frame homes replacement reserve for this investment in siding.

A member who lives in one of the pre-fab homes with mineral siding had reported to staff that he was unable to find a contractor willing to paint the original siding. The contractors believed that the asbestos contained in the siding might be friable and

create a health hazard. The Maryland Department of Environmental Resources advised staff that this asbestos is not considered friable and that the state places no restrictions on its removal or disposition. Staff had also talked with a local contractor who was willing to undertake painting or replacing the existing siding.

The prices quoted by the contractor were rather high. Since other members living in mineral-sided homes might be interested and a group rate might be obtainable the board directed staff to poll the court to determine who would be interested in such a project and report back to the board.

Shed

A member who lives in one of the free-standing homes had requested an exception to the shed regulations. The member had begun construction of a shed 10 feet long, 15 feet wide, and 10 feet high. The maximum allowable dimensions are a total of 100 square feet and a maximum height of 8 feet. The member had begun construction believing the free-standing homes were exempt from the regulations. (Staff had issued a stop-work order.) A review of the minutes from 1967, when the homes were built, found no discussion of this topic.

Because the shed is located down a hill behind the home, its greater size will be visible only to one neighbor. The board agreed to grant an exception regarding floor area but not to the height restriction.

Volunteer Training Held at Hospital

Greater Laurel Beltsville Hospital is offering an orientation for volunteers on Saturday, February 24 from 10 a.m. to noon at the hospital. Members of the community are warmly encouraged to attend. Following orientation, a training session for teenagers will take place from 1 to 3 p.m. Volunteers must be 16 years of age to attend the February 24 orientation.

Volunteers are needed to run errands, perform light clerical duties including filing and copying, and assist with patient-related activities throughout the hospital, Monday through Sunday.

For additional information, please call Carolyn Carchedi, director, Volunteer Services, 427-7950.

The A&E committee will be reviewing shed regulations in the near future and will address the question of an exemption from the regulations for the free-standing homes.

1099'S ON THE WAY

The state recently mailed more than 815,000 Form 1099Gs to Maryland taxpayers. Under federal law, the Income Tax Division must send the 1099G information forms to taxpayers who itemized deductions last year and received refunds from the state. This form shows the full amount of the taxpayers' refunds, including those portions of the refunds contributed to the Chesapeake Bay and Endangered Species Fund or applied to 1989 estimated taxes. Although the actual refund check excluded these uses of the money, federal law says that taxpayers received the benefit of the full amount of their eligible refund. The refund amount on the 1099G must be reported as income on 1989 federal tax returns.

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COUNCIL

(Continued from page one) proceed with the condemnation of Parcel 1. He is satisfied with the work the city has done to prepare for the trial which will begin in the Court House in Upper Marlboro on Tuesday, February 20 at 9 a.m. The trial, he said, could take four days. Manzi told council he is confident that "we will present a very good case." He is concerned, however, about rumors he has heard that eager citizens might show up at the court house wearing tee shirts and carrying placards. This kind of demonstrating, he said, was not a strategy to be used to influence a judge and jury. Also, vocal indications of support within the court room would anger a judge who expects decorum in the court room, he cautioned. Mayor Gil Weidenfeld urged citizens to heed Manzi's advice.

Douglas Love gave his wholehearted support to Manzi's requests. No tee shirts or placards would come to Upper Marlboro with the members of the Committee to Save the Green Belt, he guaranteed. Also, he said, we will remove our neighborhood count-down sign before the jury is brought to view the site. (This morning in court the judge continued the trial until May.)

City-wide Crime Watch?

Asking that citizens become the "eyes and ears all over the city," Mayor Gil Weidenfeld proposed the city "help develop a city-wide citizens crime watch program." The business community could help finance needed equipment and the Crime Prevention Committee (CPC) and the city's police department could develop the procedures. He asked council to refer the proposal to the CPC for comment. Hal Silvers, CPC chairman, told Weidenfeld, "You took the words right out of my mouth." Many of the local crime watch groups, successful in the past, have waned. He was eager to have his committee accept the mayor's challenge, a challenge they had already determined to take up with council.

Wetlands Walk?

Rick Meetre asked whether the city had had any response from the owners of the A. H. Smith property to their request for an inspection/walk on the property. Council member Ed Putens read the response from the owner's attorney, Kennon Scott, stating "My client would not be interested in a plan that would involve taking additional land from him for the Metro Green Line. For that reason, the property inspection suggested by you would not be necessary."

Council asked staff to review the complaints of citizens about conditions on the property and make suggestions. A sand and gravel operation, said City Manager James K. Giese, must be regulated by a state agency and he would look into it. He also noted that the promised response from the Corps of Engineers to Greenbelt's concerns about wetlands and the Metro train yard has

not been received. He will follow up there also.

Other Actions

On first reading, council is prepared at its next meeting to:

- Double the penalty for illegally parking in a handicapped parking space from \$25 to \$50.

- Establish a Capital Improvements Fund III to accept the proceeds of last week's bond sale of \$2,100,000 that portion to be used for Schrom Hills Park.

Council took final action on the following items:

- Authorized purchase of a 20-ton, tri-axle dump truck for \$20,000 from Albert Breeden.

- Approved a new design for the Hunting Ridge Club sign.

- Authorized payment for professional services of Jack Blevins & Associates for planning work to be used in the condemnation trial, and for Schnabel Engineering Associates, Inc. for soil testing beneath the employees parking lot at the new police station. Both will exceed the \$5,000 limit which requires council approval for a negotiated purchase.

- Authorized additional fees to be paid to Wooden & Benson for extra costs resulting from the departure of the city's accountant just prior to the end of the fiscal year.

- Approved the bid of G. L. Cornell Company for \$8,997 for a hydraulic sprayer with hose, host reel and spray gun.

- Approved the request for a new temporary position of lieutenant allowing the chief of police to appoint a replacement immediately for Lt. Phil Coombs, who will retire in June.

- Accepted the resignation of Charles Fuchs from the Crime Prevention Committee.

- Appointed John F. Lynch and Galena R. Gaponava to fill the two openings on the Crime Prevention Committee.

- Directed staff to send a letter to Safeway asking that their store in Greenway Center be added to the list of those now offering an experimental delivery service and a similar letter to Cop asking whether they would be interested in providing such a service.

Greenbelt Grab Bag

by Punchin' Judy

"Life is full of cohinkydinkies," sighed Aunt Hepzibah.

"Full of who?" I queried.

"Not who, dear! What. You know what I mean—things that happen at the same time as other things.

"Right, sure, of course. Cohinkydinkies. I don't know how I came to miss that word," I apologized.

"Don't feel badly, dear. Education isn't what it was in my day."

"Very little is," I admitted. "But what about these co-er cohinkydinkies?"

"There are so many of them lately. I call my sister Matty and her line is busy because she's calling me. Cousin Ollie and I receive each other's letters on the same day."

"But Auntie Hep, you and Matty call each other six times a day and you write to Ollie every week."

"Things are happening on a much bigger scale, though. Not long ago on television they announced that the telephone company was having trouble getting

enough, and right after that was a commercial from that same company saying you'd never have trouble putting your calls through using their service."

"I remember chuckling about that," I said.

"And did you chuckle when the news report that oat bran isn't what it's cracked up to be was followed by a commercial from a cereal company extolling its oat flakes?"

"The cracked oat I was eating was crackling so hard that I must not have heard the commercial," I evaded.

She looked at me rather sternly. "I'm not sure oat bran is the only thing cracked around here" she admonished.

"Almost you convince me," said I. "What other evidence do you have?"

"What would you call it when an official in this county and one in the D of C both get into the same hot water in the same week?"

"A very lar-ge bath tub?" I

ventured.

"Don't you get sassy," she warned. "And speaking of hot water, your late Uncle Sylvester..."

"Late Uncle!" I yelped. "What happened? I thought he was perfectly healthy!"

"Of course he's healthy. But you have to admit he's always late. I've been expecting him for the last half hour. He's got to check the hot water heater."

"And speaking of late," I said, "if I don't leave soon I'll be late for an appointment."

"Now isn't that a cohinkydinky," marvelled Aunt Hepzibah.

Doctors to Answer Arthritis Questions

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CITY NOTES

The special details worked at the gun range all last week installing the trailer that had been in use next to the municipal building.

The street crew worked at the new police facility, finished the enclosed trash bin and installed a gate and fence. They also cleaned curb and gutters, assisted the parks crew, and marked the perimeter trail along the northern edge of the city.

The parks crew worked at the police facility and maintained the city's ballfields. The horticulturist crew worked at the police facility, replaced trees around town, and cleaned the perennial flower beds.

The Department of Public Works received the new aerial lift truck.

The street crew cleaned curbs and gutter, planted magnolia trees and worked on a trash bin there. They reported pot-holes around the city.

The building crew installed lights for flagpoles at the police station, and did routine maintenance on city buildings. The renovation of the municipal building also is continuing.

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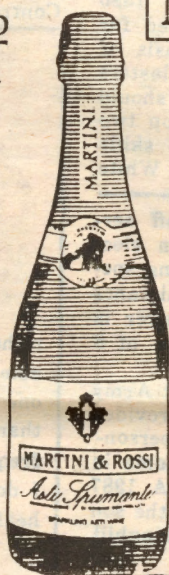
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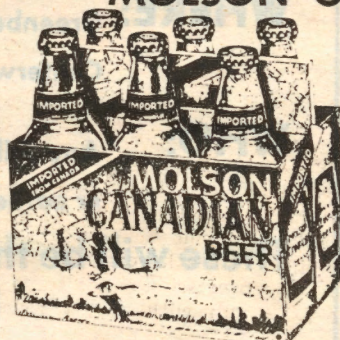
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Our Neighbors

by Dorrie Bates 345-5961

Our sympathy to Ola Smith of Green Ridge House and her daughter Greenbelter Dova Kreimyer on the recent death of Mrs. Smith's husband, and Dova's father, Joseph C. Smith, Sr.

Academic news includes the fact that Michelle A. McIntyre of Lakecrest Drive recently received her Masters in instructional technology from Bloomsburg University in Bloomsburg, Pa.

Michael Forden Walker of Candlewood Place made the Dean's list this fall at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte. For this honor he maintained a GPA of at least 3.40. Congratulations to you both!

A hearty howdy-do to Benjamin Alexander Glenn, son of Amy and David Glenn of 2 Court Plateau. Young Benjamin was born at Holy Cross on January 22 and weighed 7 lbs 2 ozs. He was welcomed home by Elizabeth, 3½, and Nathaniel, 2.

Cynthia Bland-Bell and James Bell are celebrating the birth of their daughter, Lauren Alexandra Bland-Bell. Lauren made her debut at Holy Cross on January 24. She weighed 8 lbs 1 oz. She joins her parents at home on Cherrywood Lane. Welcome all!

We also welcome a daughter born to Captain P.J. Siegel of Ridge Rd. Shaine Riane made her debut on February 1 at Walter Reed Army Medical Center, weighing in at 7 lbs. 8 oz.

Proud local relatives are grandparents Harold and Valerie Siegel, Maplewood Court; Uncle Kevin Siegel, Plateau Pl.; Uncle Marc and Aunt Diane Siegel, Boxwood Village; Great grandmother Julia Rose, Laurel Hill Rd.; and godmother, Stephanie Stoughton, Springhill Lake.

Also, congratulations to momma P.J. on her recent selection for promotion to Major in the U.S. Army. P.J. is stationed at the Defense Communications Agency in Arlington, Virginia.

A tip of the beanie to Mary Ellen Frank for her work with

the Girl Scout Council of the Nation's Capital in their annual campaign drive which netted \$91,000. The funds raised will help purchase materials for the various Girl Scout programs.

Speaking of fundraisers, the Student Government Association of Greenbelt Middle School sponsored a drive recently to raise money for the Hurricane Hugo victims. As a result of their efforts, \$500 was delivered to the Prince Georges County Chapter of the Red Cross who sent it on to Charleston, S.C. Well done!

Did some of you see Jeopardy recently? Seems that Jennifer Dikes, a junior at ERHS, was a contestant in their teen tournament. Hope she did well.

Speaking of ERHS, Jean Sandy Wang, a student from Beltsville, received honors for her entry in the 49th Annual Science Talent Search sponsored by the Westinghouse Electric Corporation. Her work was on the mechanism of preventing browning in apple tissue. Well done, Ms. Wang!

Word from the military includes the fact that Marine Sgt. Mal E. Williams was recently awarded the U.S. Marine Corps Good Conduct Medal. Son of Mary Williams of Greenbelt Road, he is a 1983 graduate of ERHS.

Pvt. Loren C. Smith has completed basic training at Ft. Jackson, S.C. He is the son of Inez and Charles Smith of Ridge Road.

Airman Jean A. Gilbert has graduated from basic training at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas. A 1989 graduate of ERHS, Gilbert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jean Gibert of Mandan Road.

And Thomas R. L'Ecuyer has been promoted in the U.S. Air



The Blasters, the local 1980 National Capital Soccer League team, and third place winners in the league.

Local Soccer Team Has Winning Season

by Sandra Curran

The Blasters, the local 1980 National Capital Soccer League team, finished the fall season with a winning record of 5-2-2. This record earned the Blasters third place in their division behind two tough opponents from Virginia. Next spring, 1980 NCSL teams will be ranked for the first time on the basis of past performance. The Blasters with their excellent record should be placed in one of the top two divisions. To maintain its skills the team is playing at White

Force to the rank of staff sergeant. He is currently an electronic intelligence operations specialist with the 9th Reconnaissance Technical Squadron. L'Ecuyer is the son of Peggy L'Ecuyer of 8 Parkway.

And finally, we hear that Army Spec. Raven J. Glenn II provided support for the Military personnel that were sent to Panama in operation "Just Cause". A 1987 graduate of ERHS, he is the son of Raven Glenn of Springhill Drive.

Marsh in an indoor soccer league during the winter months.

Sponsors whose support and encouragement have been so important to the team's success are Vatica Contracting, Goodalls Service Star Hardware, Recknor, Shaffer, Berg & Grillo, J & K Contracting, Brickwood Contracting, and others.

Free Concert at UM

The University of Maryland's Symphonic Wind Ensemble, under the direction of John E. Wakefield, will present a concert at Memorial Chapel at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, February 20.

The program will include a variety of selections for various combinations of wind and percussion instruments; works by Sweelinck, Hanson, Grainger, Husa and others. There is no admission charge.

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APPETITE

We live in the richest country in the world — in fact the richest country that has ever existed in the world. Food is available to Americans cheaply and abundantly, more so than to anyone ever, except to royalty. Our children are healthier and fatter than anywhere else, past or present. So why do doctors hear the frequent plaintive cry: "my child doesn't eat anything. What can I do to make him eat?" It is fascinating to observe mothers of healthy, chubby babies worry about their children's poor appetite!

In this article I shall try to instruct parents when to worry but mainly when NOT to worry about their children's poor eating habits.

Most parents have a pre-conceived notion about how much a child should eat, and if their children fail to measure up, they push, cajole, nag, and worry. Meal-time becomes a war zone, and everybody is unhappy. The children learn to use eating as a weapon in their battle for control. Parents, therefore, must learn to think in a reverse manner from the way they usually think; it is NOT that children don't eat, therefore they are small and thin; it is that children's hereditary factors guide them to be small and thin, therefore they don't eat more than necessary for their condition. Parents must learn to consider the child first; is he healthy and is he growing at a steady rate (following his growth chart properly)? If the answers are yes, then how much he eats is unimportant.

The proper way to encourage a child to eat is as follows: do NOT discuss eating. Set up a "buffet table" at meal time consisting of several acceptable dishes. Let the child help himself to whatever he wants and as much as he wants. Make no comments. Meals should be leisurely and pleasant affairs — try to imitate sit-com families from the 1950's like "Father Knows Best" or "Leave It To Beaver." Discourage between-meal snacks, and cut down on milk, which has little else besides empty calories. (The child gets enough calcium elsewhere. If milk is essential, give skim milk, or, at worst, 2% milk.)

Sometimes a poor appetite may be a sign of disease. A sudden fall in appetite is worrisome, especially if it is accompanied by weight loss, fatigue, and ill appearance. If you notice other symptoms accompanying a poor appetite (vomiting, diarrhea, fever, lethargy) call the doctor right away and discuss the matter.

Remember, what you want is NOT an "eating child," but a healthy, well-adjusted, growing child.

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Soccer Registration



The Greenbelt Boys & Girls Club is holding its Spring Registrations:

WHEN: Saturday, February 17th
11 am to 12:30 pm

and

Wednesday, February 21st
6:30 pm to 7:30 pm

WHERE: Greenbelt Youth Center
Centerway

WHO: Any child born in the year 1983
or earlier is eligible for soccer.

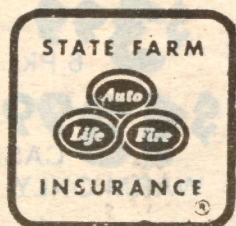
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POLICE BLOTTER

Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt Police Dept.

On February 5, a juvenile entered Commerce Deli in Greenbelt East and demanded money at gunpoint. His demand was refused, and he fled. The deli employee sought assistance, and two people working in an adjoining office gave chase. They caught the juvenile on the grounds of Eleanor Roosevelt High School and turned him over to the police. The 15-year-old nonresident, found to have a starter pistol, was arrested and charged with attempted robbery, and then incarcerated in Boy's Village pending action by the Juvenile Court.

Three nonresident juveniles, ages 15, 16 and 17, have been charged with the robbery of a coat from another juvenile near the Spellman Overpass on Dec. 8, 1989.

A 17-year-old nonresident male has been charged with the use of a handgun and the robbery of Linens 'N Things on Nov. 8, 1989.

A 22-year-old nonresident male has been charged with robbery with a deadly weapon for a street robbery on Jan. 25 in the 6200 block of Breezewood Ct.

On February 4 Officer Richard Sullivan arrested a 29-year-old nonresident male for disposal of water pollutants after the man was observed dumping waste motor vehicle oil on the ground. The man was released on a citation pending trial.

On February 5, Officers Michael Lanier and Marie Croisette responded to a report of domestic violence in the 5800 block of Cherrywood Terr. and were charged at by a 38-year-old resident woman yielding a butcher knife. After she was subdued, she was arrested and charged with two counts of assaulting a police officer. She appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was released pending trial.

On February 5 a wallet was stolen from a purse in an unsecured office area in the 6400 block of Ivy Ln.

On February 5 a 47-year-old woman was unloading groceries from her vehicle in 3 Court Gardenway when someone came up behind her, grabbed her purse, and knocked her to the ground. The robber then fled in the direction of Ridge and Gardenway and got into a small white compact car that was waiting for him. The robber was described as a black male, 6'0", black hair, dark eyes, and wearing dark clothes.

On February 6 an employee of Best Products saw a man try to return for credit or refund merchandise that he had just taken off the shelf. He was unsuccessful and left the area in a vehicle. Meanwhile, the employee called the police. When Cpl. Jeff Riskin and Pfc. Maria Arthur stopped the nonresident man's vehicle, they also found additional property from Frank's Nursery that had been gotten

through the fake-return ruse. The man's wife assaulted Cpl. Jeff Riskin. Both were arrested with the man being charged with attempted theft, the woman with assaulting a police officer and resisting arrest. Both appeared before a District Court Commissioner where he was held on \$500 bond pending trial, and she was released pending trial.

On February 7, Pfc. Steven Keller arrested a 31-year-old nonresident male for theft and disorderly conduct at Thrift D Drug (Beltway Plaza). The man appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was held on \$2,500 bond.

Vehicles: Thefts, Recoveries

On February 3 a resident reported the theft of her 1984 gray Chevy Camaro, MD tags WLE-695, from the 7800 block of Mandan Rd.

On February 3 a 1989 Kawasaki motorcycle was stolen from the 9300 block of Edmonston Rd., and recovered the next day by the Prince Georges County Police.

A license plate stolen from the parking lot of Beltway Plaza on January 5 was recovered by the D.C. Metropolitan Police on February 3.

On February 3 a Baltimore man reported the theft of his 1986 gray Toyota Corolla, MD tags XDZ946, from the parking lot of Greenway Shopping Center.

On February 3 Officer John Rogers recovered a 1990 blue Mazda in the parking lot of Greenway Shopping Center.

On February 5 a resident reported the theft of his 1971 Chevy truck, Washington state

Scholarships Offered For Health Care Training

The 8118 Volunteer Association is offering two \$1000 scholarships to persons pursuing careers in health care.

Applicants must be 17 to 50 years of age and they or their parent must reside or work in Prince Georges County. For a list of criteria and an application please contact the Volunteer Office, AMI Doctors' Hospital, 552-8001. Deadline for submitting applications is March 15.

Help with Heating Bills Offered by County

Because some county residents cannot afford to heat their homes, County Office of Energy Services Director Hillary Dickmann announced that financial assistance is available through the Maryland Energy Assistance Program.

Under this program, eligible residents may use their assistance for fuel bills or rent. The program will be open through March 30, but the County Office of Energy Services "is encouraging individuals to apply now . . . and not wait for an emergency before they apply."

Energy assistance benefits are based on household size, gross monthly income, and the type of fuel used for heating. Benefits are forwarded directly to the energy supplier to be credited to the customer's account.

tags GA4644, from the area of Breezewood Dr. and Cherrywood Terr.

Vandalism to, thefts from, and attempted thefts of autos were reported in the 7400 and 7500 blocks of Greenway Center Dr., the 10 Court of Southway (4 incidents, and the parking lot of Beltway Plaza.

Dick Good & Jim Drake Lead Greenbelt Runners

by Larry Noel

The D.C. Road Runners held the 26th annual 20 and 10 mile races in Greenbelt on December 23. Because of the unusually cold weather (12 degrees at the start) race officials had decided to cancel the 20 mile race. When this announcement was made 36 runners strongly objected, particularly a group who had come up from Richmond, VA. After strong warnings of the danger of hypothermia, the possible absence of volunteers on the course after the 10 mile race was completed, and the opportunity of stopping after 10 miles, both races started.

In the 20 mile, Dick Good, 60, was 28th and the only Greenbelt-er to finish - 2:53:05. Good is an ultra distance runner, running 50 and 100 mile races. The 20 mile race was won by a master runner (40 years of age or older) Bennett Beach, 40, Bethesda, Md. in 1:58:53. Beach had won this race last year in 1:58:15. Second was Pete Landergan, 33, Richmond, Va. in 2:00:32. The leading female runner was Hiroko Smith, 40, Annandale, Va. in 2:34:32 over Pamela Foley, 30, Gaithersburg, Md. in 2:44:08.

In the 10 mile Jim Drake, 42, was the first of six Greenbelt-ers to finish, 5th in 1:05:00. Other Greenbelt-ers were: 12th, Tom Winkert, 25, in 1:10:52; 24th Bob Mongelli, 49, in 1:18:40; 28th Dave Chitwood, 39, in 1:22:04; 29th Sid Conger, 60, in 1:22:

40; and 33rd Joe Broderick, 51 in 1:25:08. First place in the 10 mile went to Jim Porterfield, 42, Bethesda, Md. in 1:01:27 with Wayne Cottrell, 27, Washington, D.C. second in 1:02:10. Donna Elliot, 29, Fort Washington, Md. was the first female in 1:06:20 with Chris Stockdale, 45, of Takoma Park, Md. second in 1:14:59 setting a new masters record for this race.

The safety of the runners on this cold day was greatly improved by the presence of a mobile radio communications team led by Bill Shook. This team (REACT) had their base operator Myrna Burchick at her Greenbelt home. Volunteers who helped DC RRC officials Larry Noel and Sharon Fisher put on this race included Bob Mongelli, Ray McCawley, Bill Clark, John Noel and Jerry Conway. The use of the Youth Center and the cooperation of the Greenbelt Recreation Department was much appreciated.

Toastmasters Invite All

The Spring Speakers Toastmasters Club meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of every month at 7:15 p.m. in the Community Room above the Springhill Lake Pharmacy, 9240 Springhill Lane. The club helps individuals develop better speaking skills, improved grammar, organizational abilities, and self confidence. New members and guests are always welcome. For further information call Mark at 350-2217 or Joyce at 474-0567.

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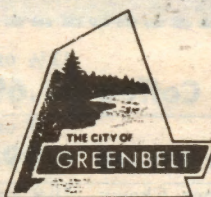
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CITY OF GREENBELT, MARYLAND

INVITATION TO BID

The City of Greenbelt is accepting bids for the service of Aerial Pesticide Application for Gypsy Moth Control by Bt. Bid information and specifications may be obtained from the Purchasing Office, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland 20770, (301) 474-8052. Bids must be received no later than 10:00 AM, Thursday, March 8, 1990.

CITY OF GREENBELT, MARYLAND

NOTICE OF

Employment Opportunity

POLICE OFFICER - \$23,088.00 - \$25,958.40, depending on experience. (Cost-of-living adjustment anticipated 7/1/90.) Must be at least age 21 and be certified by the Maryland State Training Commission. Must have a H.S. Diploma or equivalent, a valid Maryland driver's license and be in good physical condition; with vision correctible to 20/20, not to exceed 20/70 uncorrected.

Apply: City of Greenbelt, Personnel Department, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland 20770; (301) 345-7203. EOE. Women and minorities encouraged to attend.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Intelligent Prince George's County Homeowners may avoid the embarrassment of an unkempt lawn by ordering lawn-mowing service prior to the start of the growing season.

Instead of hacking away at knee-deep grass or begging surly teenagers to come to your house, enjoy your weekend with golf, tennis or another pleasant activity.

Yes, the really smart homeowner can return home on Friday evening to a recently clipped, trimmed and bagged lawn and have an entire weekend free to unwind. But this will only be possible by calling for a free estimate no later than our

DEADLINE

MARCH 17, 1990

By April our phone will be ringing non-stop with desperate housekeepers who need mowing "immediately." But, you, the intelligent homeowner, by planning for lawn mowing service can have a pre-assigned day for mowing and design a service package that meets your needs and budget. All of this at a price that is competitive with the neighborhood teenager — And at unprecedented levels of reliability.

Please call for your free estimate today. 345-2220

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LAWN Power

SUPERMARKET**474-0522**HOURS
MONDAY-SATURDAY: 9-9
SUNDAY: 10-6**GREENBELT CONSUMER****CO-OP****SUPERMARKET/PHARMACY****PHARMACY****474-4400**

Filled while you wait

HOURS
MONDAY-FRIDAY: 10-7
SATURDAY: 10-6
CLOSED SUNDAYS**121 Centerway • Roosevelt Center • Greenbelt** **Prices Effective Mon., Feb. 19 thru Sat., Feb. 24****Fresh
Quality Meats**Co-op Lean Beef Boneless
Full Cut
ROUND
STEAK lb. **\$2.19**Co-op Lean Beef
Porterhouse
Steak lb. **\$3.99**Fresh Grade A Chicken
Drumsticks
or Thighs lb. **69¢**Co-op Lean Beef Boneless
Chuck lb.
Arm Roast **2.19**Fresh Lean
Ground
Chuck lb. **1.79**Fresh LB.
Shark Steak **\$3.99**Fresh LB.
Monkfish **\$4.99**Fresh Boneless LB.
Pork Chops **\$3.39**Holly Farms Fully Cooked LB.
ROASTED
CHICKEN **\$1.89**Lloyds Fully Cooked LB.
Beef Ribs **\$2.99**Oncor Frozen LB.
Veal Patties **\$1.89**Gwaltney LB.
Great Dogs **89¢**Gwaltney LB.
Sliced Bacon **\$1.49****Deli Dept.**Kunzler LB.
Pepper Loaf **\$1.99**Kunzler LB.
Smoked Ham **\$2.39**Kunzler LB.
Liverwurst **\$1.09**Cooked Round LB.
Roast Beef **\$3.59**Provolone LB.
Cheese **\$2.59****Health & Beauty**Super Tru Pint
Clear Alcohol **39¢**Crest Pump LB.
Toothpaste **\$1.99**Light Days Pads 20's
Kotex **\$1.39****NOW SAVE TWICE AS MUCH WITH
MANUFACTURERS****DOUBLE COUPONS**

With \$10.00 minimum purchase excluding coupon items. 50¢ coupon maximum

CLIP AND SAVE WITH THESE CO-OP SUPER COUPONS**MORTON**
SALT
Plain or Iodized 26 oz.
With this Coupon & \$10.00 Min. Purchase Ex-
cluding Coupon Items. Limit One per Customer.
Good 2/19-2/24 **9¢**Scott Jumbo Roll
PAPER
TOWELS
With this Coupon & \$10.00 Min. Purchase Ex-
cluding Coupon Items. Limit One per Customer.
Good 2/19-2/24 **59¢****Red & White**
MAYONNAISE
Qt.
With this Coupon & \$10.00 Min. Purchase Ex-
cluding Coupon Items. Limit One per Customer.
Good 2/19-2/24 **79¢**Ajax Powder 32 oz.
LAUNDRY
DETERGENT
With this Coupon & \$10.00 Min. Purchase Ex-
cluding Coupon Items. Limit One per Customer.
Good 2/19-2/24 **79¢**Starkist 6½ oz.
Chunk Light
TUNA
With this Coupon & \$10.00 Min. Purchase Ex-
cluding Coupon Items. Limit One per Customer.
Good 2/19-2/24 **39¢**Dow 100 ft.
HANDI
WRAP
With this Coupon & \$10.00 Min. Purchase Ex-
cluding Coupon Items. Limit One per Customer.
Good 2/19-2/24 **69¢**White House ½ gal.
APPLE
JUICE
With this Coupon & \$10.00 Min. Purchase Ex-
cluding Coupon Items. Limit One per Customer.
Good 2/19-2/24 **99¢**Our Value 2 lb.
Sandwich
Creme Cookies
With this Coupon & \$10.00 Min. Purchase Ex-
cluding Coupon Items. Limit One per Customer.
Good 2/19-2/24 **99¢**Waldorf 4 pk.
Toilet Tissue **99¢**Wesson Original 24 oz.
Cooking Oil **99¢**Red & White Granulated 5 lb.
Sugar **\$1.79**Contadina 6 oz.
Tomato Paste **3/\$1**Kelloggs 18 oz.
Corn Flakes **\$1.69**Red & White 25 sq. ft.
Aluminum Foil **59¢**Pet Evaporated 12 oz.
Milk **59¢**Ocean Spray Original 48 oz.
CRANBERRY
COCKTAIL **\$1.99****Dairy Dept.**Blue Bonnet 1 lb. ¼'s
Margarine **59¢**Kraft Deluxe Sliced 12 oz.
AMERICAN
CHEESE **\$1.99**Oregon Farms 6 oz.
Kissle **2/99¢**Breakstone Pint
Sour Cream **99¢**Filberts Soft 2 pk. 8 oz.
I CAN'T BELIEVE
IT'S NOT BUTTER **\$1.19**White House 50 oz.
Apple Sauce **99¢**Our Value 15 oz. min.
Corn-Peas-Beets-Gr.
Beans-Kidney Beans **2/79¢**Campbells Soup 10½ oz.
Vegetable-Vegetarian
Special Request Veg. **2/89¢**Furmans Spaghetti 15 oz.
Sauce **2/99¢**Schmidts Italian 20 oz.
Bread **\$1.19**Puffs 175's
Facial Tissue **89¢**Our Value Juice Pack 20 oz.
Pineapple **2/99¢****Pepsi Cola** **\$1.09**
Regular or Diet 2 LiterPost Honeycomb 10 oz.
Cereal **\$1.89**Mueller 1 lb.
Lasagna **79¢**Duraflame 5.5 lb.
Giant Firelog **\$1.79**Vlasic Kosher or Zesty QT.
Dill Pickles **\$1.49**Spice Classic 1 oz.
Pure Vanilla **69¢**Folgers 11½ oz.
Flaked Coffee **\$1.69**Contadina 8 oz.
Tomato Sauce **4/99¢**Duncan Hines Chewy 19.9 oz.
Brownie Mix **99¢**Red & White QT.
Keg Ketchup **89¢**Ajax 14 oz.
Cleanser **39¢**Hershey Chocolate 24 oz. Btl.
Syrup **\$1.39**McCormick .87 oz.
Chicken or Turkey
Gravy Mix **59¢**Duet 30 oz.
Peach Halves **99¢****Frozen Dept.**Birds Eye 4¼ oz. min.
Microwave for One
VEGETABLES **2/89¢**Van De Kamps Light 12oz.min.
FISH STICKS
or **FILLETS** **\$1.79**Bright & Early Breakfast 12 oz.
Drink **2/99¢**Amoroso 8 oz.
Garlic Bread **69¢**Our Value Sandwich 14 oz.
Steaks **\$1.79****Farm
Fresh Produce**Dole
Premium **3 lbs. \$1**
Bananas forDole 88 Size
Navel **6/99**
OrangesCalifornia
Temple **4/99¢**
Oranges**Granny Smith** **59**
Apples **Lb.**Red lb.
Grapes **99¢**
Seedless**BARTLETT** **69¢**
PEARS lb.**IMPORTED** **\$1.19**
PLUMS lb.**DOLE 2 lb.** **69¢**
CARROTSDole Celery
Hearts **\$1.19****YELLOW** **79¢**
ONIONS 3 lb.**FRESH ea.** **69¢**
COCONUTS**JOLLY TIME** **99¢**
POPCORN 2 lb.**Beer/Wine Dept.****Busch Beer** **\$4.99**
12 pk-12 oz. cans**Schaefer Beer** **\$1.99**
6 pk-12 oz. cans**Gallo Wines** **\$5.99**
3 LiterJacques Bonet 750 ml.
Champagne **\$2.89****NOW FEATURING****READERS DIGEST****BEST LOVED BOOKS****FOR YOUNG READERS.**Choose from 16 Timeless
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